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Council Passes By-Law Enforcing Control Of Dogs Within M.D.

MEANOOK — At the meeting of the Municipal District Council held on Feb. 12, a by-law was passed enforcing the control of all dogs, licensed and unlicensed, in the Municipality. Any dogs running at large are liable to be shot, and the owner of the dog subject to prosecution.

The minutes of the council meeting of Feb. 12th follow:

REGULAR MEETING, M.D. OF ATHABASCA NO. 103

Present: Reeve Aloisio, Councilors Breckenridge, Lynk, Wright, Derko and Doroshenko.

The meeting was called to order by the Reeve at 11:30.

The minutes of the previous regular meeting of January 15th and 16th, 1953, were read to the council by the secretary-treasurer.

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that the minutes of the previous regular meeting of January 15th and 16th, 1953, be adopted as read. Carried.

Financial Statement

The financial statement for the month of January 1953, was read to the council by the secretary-treasurer, and ordered filed.

Westlock M.D. re. No. 2 Highway

Reeve A. Zaczkowski and Cllr John Harry of Westlock M.D., interviewed the council re taking over the old No. 2 highway between Clyde and Athabasca. Considerable discussion took place re same and the following motions were passed.

Moved by Cllr Wright that this council prepare to draw up a brief in conjunction with Westlock M.D., asking for extra assistance to take care of the old No. 2 highway, between Clyde and Athabasca, and that a delegation from this district be authorized to accompany a delegation from Westlock M.D. to see the Minister re same. Carried.

Delegates

Moved by Cllr Derko that The Reeve, Cllrs Breckenridge and Wright and the Secretary be the committee to go to Westlock on Monday, February 16th, to prepare the above brief. Carried.

Road Engineer

Moved by Cllr Breckenridge we ask Westlock M.D., if they would consider going in with us, in hiring a full-time engineer for public works. Carried.

Dinner: Moved by Cllr Breckenridge that the meeting adjourn for dinner, 12:45 p.m. Carried. The meeting re-convened at 2:00 p.m.

Health Unit

Dr. Rowland and Mr. Plummer, Sanitary Inspector of the health unit interviewed the council re general health business, several cases were discussed. Cllr Lynk spoke re a man and woman in his district who needed to be examined as they were supposed to be sick. Dr. Rowland is to diagnose these two cases, and report to council.

Stonhouse Assessment

Mr. A. Stonhouse interviewed the council re making a new assessment of the municipal district for lands, improvements and personal property. He stated his fee was \$20.00 per day, plus expenses. He stated he would do the improvement assessment, but could not do the land. We could possibly get a Mr. Snow to do the land assessment. He stated Mr. Snow is now getting \$2.00 per farm for making the assessment.

Auditor

Moved by Cllr Wright that Mr. A. Stonhouse be appointed as assessor for Hamlet Improvements and personal property assessment, for the year 1953, and that Mr. Stonhouse endeavour to get Mr. Snow or other qualified assessor to make

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New General Store To Open About May 1st

LAC LA BICHE — Klim Mischuk of Blue Jay is completing work on a new store building next door to the B & L Store, opposite Hayward's Lumber office. Mr. Mischuk has been planning for some time to open for business but delays in construction have held back the actual opening date. It is now expected that the store will be ready about May 1.

The new building has two front entrances to the store and a doorway in the centre leading up to the second floor which will be living quarters for the Mischuk family.

Garden Club Receives Award

CRAIGEND — On March 25, Mrs. B. Eggerston, Home Economist, accompanied by her husband, attended a meeting of Mr. and Mrs. E. Makowichuk. Mrs. Eggerston spoke on "Vegetables, their importance and uses." Later on in the evening she spoke in the Craigend School on "School Lunches" and also presented a present from the Alberta Wheat Pool to the club for the fine work they did last year, and in closing she wished the club the best of success in the following garden season.

We are certain that the club will do as well as last year, for they have an efficient executive which consists of: The leader, Miss Denise Gervais; assistant leader, Mrs. E. Makowichuk (last year's leader); president of club, Miss Evelyn Kupchanko; vice-president, Miss T. Panchuk; secretary-treasurer, Miss Natalka Salahub. There are also co-operative Junior members, including three boys. The Junior members are: Miss Judy Ungran, Miss Nettie Danyluk, Miss Doris Ratzoy, Eddie Konoza, Maurice Gervais and Johnnie Panchuk.

Frains News Briefs

farewell party was held in Frains School for Miss O. Strumelak, who was supervising the Junior room. Miss Strumelak is going to the city where she expects to find a job. Mrs. Sawchuk will take over the both rooms till another teacher comes.

A Ukrainian show was shown in Frains Community Hall. A large number of people attended.

Mrs. Ustina was out at Caslan for a few days.

Visitors to the city during the past two weeks were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Swetz, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nahorney and Laurence, Mr. Shwetz and Eddy, Mrs. A. Kolach, Mr. John Phau and son Johnny, Mrs. A. Sawchuk, Mrs. Shwetz and Raymond Kolach.

Mr. Nick Antoniuk is home again after spending the winter out working.

Mr. Jerry Shyia and Fred Kaylo from the city were visiting relatives and friends in the district.

William Smith is home now after spending the winter at his sisters place.

First Spring Thaws Find Streets In Good Shape

LAC LA BICHE — Due to the excellent maintenance work done last fall on the streets, and to the fact that there is very little snow to encumber the roadways, the first thaw in March left the streets free of bad ruts. Constable Charles Calvert states that when the frost starts to come out of the ground, the roads are likely to be in much worse condition. This would be the case even if the thawing season is not accompanied by more precipitation in the form of snow or rain.

At any rate it is certain that the difficult spring season will find the weak spots in the streets and roadways where the ditching machines operated last year. This will mean that early and regular road maintenance work will have to be done to avoid bad road conditions.

New \$25,000 Hotel Planned For Town Of Lac la Biche

LAC LA BICHE — A local man, Mike Stefanik, along with Edmonton associates has run the required legal advertising in an Edmonton paper in the first step towards erection of a new hotel with an estimated value of \$250,000. The application is signed by Ross Stefanik as president and Mike Stefanik as secretary.

An option has already been reserved on four lots on the Letourneau Livery Barn property, and if plans materialize the new hotel will be erected on the site at present occupied by the livery barn.

The new hotel will be fully modern and up-to-date in every detail with a number of rooms with bath, and modern lunch room. Lac la Biche has been increasing in population for each of the past ten years and is becoming increasingly popular as a commercial and holiday resort centre. Most Alberta towns with over 1,000 population in the Lac la Biche bracket have two hotels and the majority of citizens seem to be in favor of a second hotel for the town.

A full-grown wolf in the Canadian wilds weighs on the average 100 pounds.

Hylo Residents Hear Specialists On Rabies Control

HYLO — A Rabies Control meeting was held at Hylo on March 31. A gathering of approximately 75 people heard reports from the following speakers: Dr. Mitchel, Dr. Rolland, Mr. Bucher, Mr. Lore and Mr. Zozerski.

Dr. Mitchel stated that rabies has been known in the north for the last 15 to 20 years and is now gradually working southward to the settled areas.

Dr. Rolland spoke on rabies as it would effect human beings. He stated that even saliva coming in contact with cuts on the hand are dangerous and should be washed in soapy water for 10 or 15 minutes.

Dr. Bucker, Dept. of Lands and Forests, spoke on the precautions being taken by his department. He explained regarding a special area which is being watched by rangers and trappers just north of the settled districts, and said that since March 1, 132 coyotes and wolves have been taken. This department is chiefly concerned in keeping rabies out of settled districts.

Mr. S. Lore, District Agriculturist, explained how his department meant to control rabies in settled areas. He gave a fine explanation on bounty and coyote-getting guns. Dr. Lore also explained the reason why we should keep all dogs under control. He also stated that dogs in this area are not allowed to run at large. Mr. Zozirsky explained the operation of the coyote-getters gun, and instructed farmers how to operate these getters.

Approximately 15 farmers passed the test in setting these coyote-getters. This should help in cutting down the numbers of coyotes and wolves.

AURORA THEATRE

Lac la Biche Alberta

PRESENTS

Wed. and Thurs., April 8-9—

8:30 p.m. / 7:00 and 9:15 p.m.

—Family NIGHT—

"TOO YOUNG TO KISS"

Romantic Comedy. Starring: June Allyson, Van Johnson, Gig Young and Paula Goddard. It's a deliciously dazzling romantic mix-up as June Allyson and Van Johnson make wonderful music together.

Fri. and Sat., April 10-11—

7:00 and 9:15 p.m. / 2:30, 7:00, 9:15 p.m.

—Family NIGHT—

"The Miracle Of Our Lady Of Fatima"

Religious Drama. In beautiful color. Based on the Miracles in the village of Fatima in Portugal where in 1917 three shepherd children claimed the Virgin Mary appeared before them.

Sunday, April 12—

"CHORNOMORCI"

Ukrainian Color Picture. Romance, music and dance, with Ukrainian artists. First color feature in Canada. Featuring Bandurist Chorus.

Monday, April 13—

"The Miracle Of Our Lady Fatima"

Shows last time on Monday, April 13.

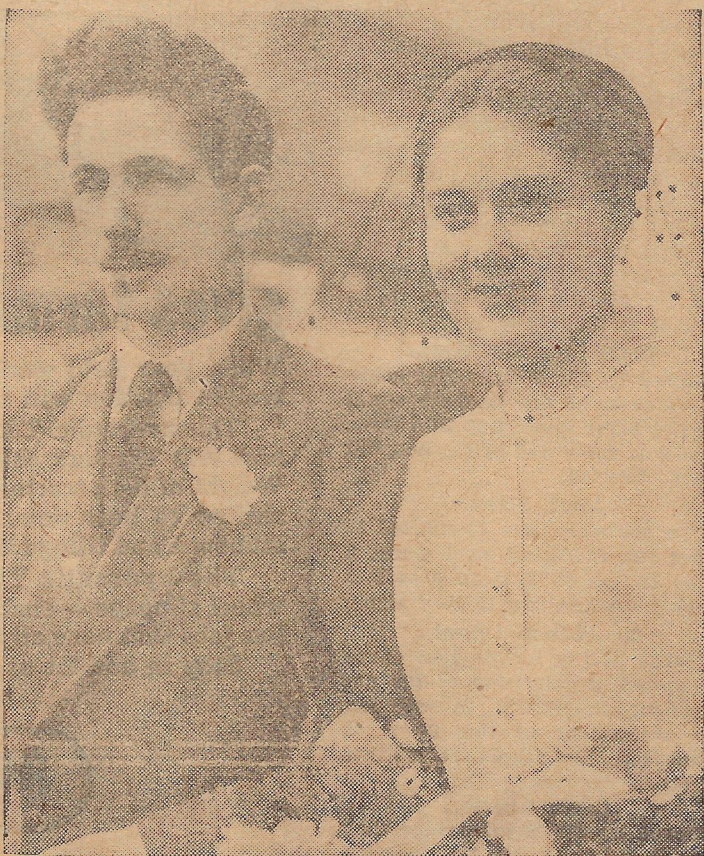
7:00 and 9:15 p.m.

Tues. and Wed., April 14-15—

"SALLY AND ST. ANNE"

Comedy Drama. The wonderful story of a miraculously funny family... and a gorgeous gal who had personal pull with a Saint. As Sally to put in a pitch and the year's most hilarious fun begins. Starring: Anne Blyth, Edmund Gwenn, John MacIntyre, Palmer Lee. 8:30 p.m.

U.K. COUPLE BOUND FOR EDMONTON



Nineteen-year-old Sylvia Jean Fowler, who was given permission by her mother to wed provided she emigrated to Canada, is seen with the bridegroom, Edwin Arthur Carpenter, 26, following their marriage at Dartford, England. A farm worker who formerly worked for his wife's father at Kent, Edwin Carpenter will take up farming near Edmonton, where they plan to make their home.

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a complete new farm assessment for us. Carried.

Broken Bridge

W. Metijon reported that a bridge was broken just East of R. Potts land. The Reeve stated he would have it fixed.

Ethier Planking

N. W. Ethier interviewed the council re planking. he was informed the account would be passed with the regular bills, later on in the meeting.

Costello Scraper

The agent for Costello Co. interviewed the council re the scraper ordered, stating a new model is being built, and the price is the same as the old model, and asked if council wished the new model. They stated yes. The agent informed the council if the new model did not turn out to be satisfactory they would exchange it for the old model, at no cost to us.

Whiteley Permit

Moved by Clr Wright that R. Whiteley be given a permit to cut 500 poplar trees for the sum of \$1.00 on the S.E.9-66-22-4. Carried.

Colington Garage

Mr. R. Whiteley asked if council were interested in purchasing his big garage in the Hamlet of Colington. he stated he would sell the big garage together with the land right up to the East side of the small garage, for the sum of \$16,000, and he would give the council the sum of \$6,000 for the present municipal office, at Meanook, thus making a cash outlay to the M.D. of \$10,000. No action was taken.

R.C.M.P.

Corp. Duffield, of the R.C.M.P., interviewed the council re general matters, such as new people moving into the M.D. from other districts. The matter of rabies was also brought up and discussed. Corp. Duffield stated at present he had no authority to shoot loose dogs. A municipal by-law to control all dogs was discussed.

Rabies By-Law No. 272

Moved by Clr Wright that owing to the outbreak of rabies, that a by-law be passed for the control of dogs within the municipal district. Carried.

By-law No. 272 of the Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103.

Being a by-law of The Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103, to regulate and control dogs within the limits of The Municipal District, under section 230 of The Municipal District Act.

Desiring to co-operate with the Provincial and Dominion Governments in the control of Rabies, the council of The Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103, hereby enacts as follows:

1. No person or persons owning or harbouring or having the charge or custody of any dog, (regardless of age of the dog) shall allow it to run at large within the limits of the municipal district of Athabasca No. 103.

2. No dog shall be allowed on any highway, road, street, lane, alley, park or public place, unless it is held by a leash, and is under control at all times.

3. In this by-law "dogs" includes dogs which have been vaccinated against rabies, and includes dogs which are licensed or are unlicensed.

4. Any dogs or dog found running at large within the limits of the said municipal district, may be shot forthwith by any municipal councillor of the Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103, by any member of the Agricultural Service Board of the Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103, by any member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, or any other persons authorized by the Council of the Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103.

5. The owner of or any person harbouring or having the charge or custody of any dog found running

at large within the limits of the said Municipal District, shall be guilty of a violation of this by-law and liable on summary conviction:

(a) For a first offence to a penalty of not less than \$6.00 and not more than \$100.00 and costs, and in default of payment thereof to imprisonment for a period of not more than seven days.

(b) For a second or further offence to a penalty of not less than \$12.00 and not more than \$100.00 and costs, and in default of payment thereof to imprisonment for a period of not more than fourteen days.

Received first and second readings, and by unanimous consent of all the councillors present, a third reading, and finally passed this 12th day of February, A.D., 1953.

Union Tractor Co.

Mr. Lydiatt of Union Tractor Co. interviewed the council re new machinery, stating they could deliver one D7, but he did not know if a second D7 could be delivered, but they could possibly deliver a D8. He quoted the following prices on tractors.

D6 tractor	\$12,000.
D7 tractor	\$16,000. bucket \$12,000.
D8 tractor	\$21,500. bucket \$18,500

Rabies

G. Godel informed the council there were 267 doses of vaccine available for dogs, against rabies, and asked where it should be used.

Moved by Clr Wright that each councillor be authorized to instruct the veterinary to make investigations re suspected rabies. Carried.

Bangs Disease

Bangs disease costs were discussed by the council and Mr. Godel. Moved by Clr Wright that the surplus of \$46.52 be turned over to the Agricultural Service Board, as a Bangs Fund. Carried.

Weeds

Moved by Clr Wright that the Agricultural Service Board be authorized to stop the sale of forage crop for seed purposes, on all lands infested with toad flax, however exceptions may be made where the seed has been tested and certified free by the plant products division at Calgary, and under supervision of The Agricultural Service Board. Carried.

Pure Bred Sire Area

Mr. Godel also spoke to the council re the pure bred bull policy, stating there are 256 registered bulls in this municipal district, and he asked what was the council's policy re same.

Moved by Clr Lynk that when a scrub bull is reported to the Service Board, that a registered letter be sent to the owner instructing him to dispose of it, or come in to see the Agricultural Service Board, at their next meeting, failing either, that he is immediately prosecuted. Carried.

Bangs

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that if any person actually refuses to have their female calves vaccinated against Bangs disease, that they be sent a registered letter instructing them to attend the next meeting of the Agricultural Service Board, and failing to do so, that that he be immediately prosecuted. Carried.

Richardson Machinery Co.

Mr. Webb of Richardson Road Machinery Co., interviewed the council re road machinery, stating they make 8-11 yard bucket, for \$10,566, including the control unit.

Adjourn: Moved by Clr Wright that the meeting adjourn at 7:15 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. tomorrow. Carried.

Friday, February 13th, 1953

Present: Reeve Aloisio, Councillors Breckenridge, Lynk, Wright, Derko and Doroshenko.

The meeting was called to order

by the Reeve at 11:00 a.m.

Road Grant

Moved by Clr Lynk that council approve of the action of the Reeve and deputy Reeve in going to Edmonton, to interview the Minister re the 1952 road grant. Carried.

Hart Assessor

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that B. C. Hart be appointed as assessor for this municipal district for the year 1953. Carried.

A. Shubert, Move House

Moved by Clr Breckenridge that Mrs. Anna Shubert be given permission to move a house from the Hamlet of Colinton, to a site East of Colinton. Carried.

Perryvale School Site

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that council approve of the Perryvale School site, as requested by the planning board. Carried.

Atmore Site: Moved by Clr Derko that council approve of the subdivision on the S.W.17-67-17-4, as requested by the planning board. Carried.

Shaw Land Sale

Moved by Clr Breckenridge that council accept the offer of Gordon F. Shaw, of Athabasca, to purchase the S.W. 22-64-22-4, for the sum of \$250.00, on terms of \$100.00 cash, and the balance in two equal annual payments commencing on March 1st, 1954, with interest at 5% per annum, subject to the approval of The Minister of Municipal Affairs, and that a by-law be passed. Carried.

By-Law No. 273

By-law No. 273, of The Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103.

A by-law concerning the sale of the S.W.22-64-22-4, pursuant to the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1942, and amendments thereto:

WHEREAS an offer has been received from Gordon F. Shaw of Athabasca, to purchase the S.W.22-64-22-4, for the sum of \$250.00, on terms of \$100.00 cash, and the balance in two equal annual payments commencing on March 1st, 1954, with interest at 5% per annum;

BE IT ENACTED that the said offer be accepted, subject to the approval of The Minister of Municipal Affairs, as provided under Section 18 of the above recited act, and that the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to execute an agreement for sale, on said terms.

Received first and second reading, and by unanymous consent of all the councillors present, a third reading, and finally passed this 13th day of February, A.D., 1953.

G.S.I. OH

Moved by Clr Doroshenko that the G.S.I. Exploration Co. be permitted to use municipal roads, otherwise when the road ban is on, but they must send in a map showing their operations. Carried.

Road Grant

The Reeve informed the meeting that he had just been talking to Mr. Ritchie the district engineer, and Mr. Ritchie will be at Meanook at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, March 7th, to lay out the 1953 road grant, and for all the councillors to be present at this meeting.

Boyle Hospital Wards

Moved by Clr Wright that council approve of the Boyle hospital district being divided up into three wards, as requested by the hospital board. Carried.

Road Signs

The secretary was instructed to order the following road signs, 6 hills, 12 school, 2 loose gravel, 2 truck crossings, and 12 slow signs.

Requisition Appeal

Moved by Clr Wright that council appeal the decision of the assessment commission, in reducing the assessment of the Town of Athabasca, for school requisition purposes. Carried.

Cattle Guards

Moved by Clr Breckenridge that council approve of the railway companies removing the cattle guards at crossings in the M.D. Carried.

Rabies Etc.

Moved by Clr Breckenridge, wa-

rite to Dr. Catt, Dominion Veterinarian, and ask him who pays the local vet where an investigation is made into a suspect or proven case of rabies, and who orders him to go out. Carried.

Calvert Lease

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that the S.E. 17-67-19-4, be leased to H. S. Calvert for the year 1953, for grazing purposes. Carried.

Rabies Serum

Moved by Clr Wright we inform the Service Board to hold the rabies serum now on hand, for immunizing suspected areas, or until we are assured more serum is on the way. Carried.

M.H.O.

Moved by Clr Breckenridge that council retain Dr. E. K. Wright for indigents at a fee of \$300.00 per year, as from March 1st, 1953. Carried.

Council Overspend

A letter was read from Mr. Judge, Deputy Minister of Municipal Af-

fairs, regarding the council overspending their allocation on public works during the year 1952.

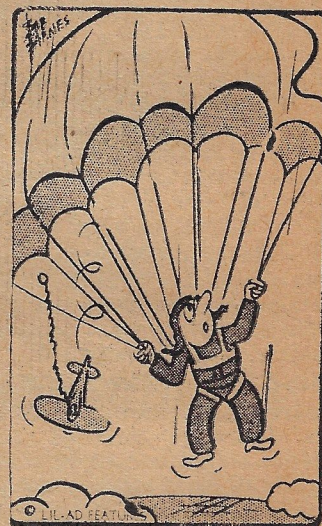
Moved by Reeve Aloisio we write Mr. Judge informing him his letter was read to the council at today's meeting, and thanking him for his advice, and informing him the council will do everything possible to stay within the 1953 budget. Carried.

Adjourn: Moved by Clr Derko that the meeting adjourn, 7:15 p.m. Carried.

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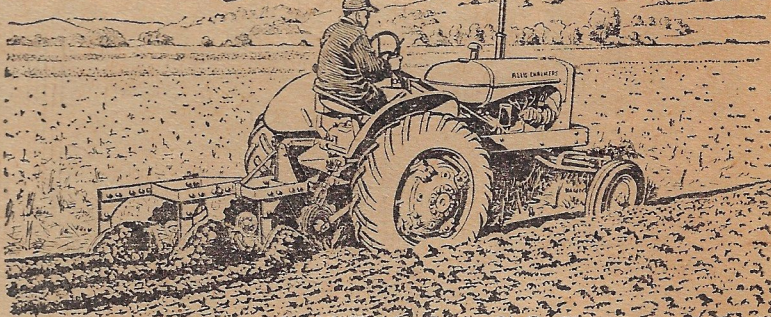
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Egg Lake News Briefs

Mrs. Marcel Vincent has left with her two children, on March 26th to join her husband at Uranium City. Her mother, Mrs. Armand Lebeuf accompanied her as far as Edmonton. She was leaving by plane on Saturday, March 28th. We wish her a good trip, but we are all sorry to see one of our best families leave us.

Mrs. Laurent L'heureux has had to spend some time in Lac La Biche Hospital, but is back home and feeling much better. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Plamondon, of Plamondon, are spending a few days with her.

Fernand Amiot had the misfortune to fall on the ice while skating. He hurt his knee and has to walk with crutches, as his knee will be in a cast for some time yet. Reginald Ostiguy from Foothills

Notice To Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of **ANDREW YURKYWICK**, late of the town of Lac la Biche, in the Province of Alberta, Retired, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of above-named Andrew Yurkywick, who died on the 28th day of January, A.D. 1953, are required to file with the undersigned Public Trustee by the 2nd day of May, A.D. 1953, a full statement duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Public Trustee will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated this 27th day of March, A.D. 1953.

Public Trustee, Administrator of the Estate of Andrew Yurkywick, Deceased, Land Titles Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

has come to live at the home of his uncle L. G. Amiot, and will be going to school in Plamondon.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. P. Pszysiezny has lost her new born baby. She is back from the hospital and feeling well enough.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Luc have decided to come and live at Egg Lake. He has already moved his machinery and plans to move his house in the near future. He is staying with his father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Huppie, until he has his house moved from Plamondon. Welcome to the newcomers.

The men are all back from the bush and are getting ready for spring work.

Sports Groups To Entertain Visiting Clubs

The Boxing Club and the local school are sponsoring an evening of sports films and boxing bouts on Friday April 17. Boxing clubs from Westlock and Rochester, as well as the local club will take part in the bouts. Films of the Grey Cup football and World Series baseball will be shown. The show will start promptly at 8 p.m. A dance will follow the films and bouts. Music will be supplied by Johnny and His Boys. Proceeds for school sports funds. Everyone welcome.

Ellscott News Briefs

Helen Luba is home on her holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spila went home for their holidays.

The Radmanovich brothers are busy re-building the garage which was destroyed by fire some months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Ellscott are spending a few days with his mother, who was ill.

Mrs. Reinhold Seifridt was a patient in the Athabasca Hospital for a few days.

Rural Electrical Group Starts Scheme

BAPTISTE LAKE—At a meeting of the West Athabasca Rural Electrification Association held in Athabasca last Monday evening, 60 farmers paid deposits of \$180 each to cover the estimated cost of the down payment required. Balance of the money will come from the Provincial Government in the form of a loan repayable in 10 yearly installments.

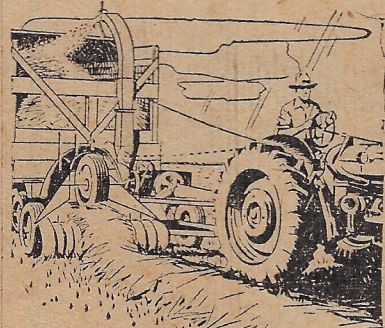
It is hoped that all farmers living along the route of the proposed power line will join in a united effort to put the scheme over. All directors were authorized to accept payments from

The Canadian Wildlife Service new members, and to transmit the money to the treasurer, R. K. McCallum. is applying television to the study of fish and their habits in a trout lake near Banff, Alberta.

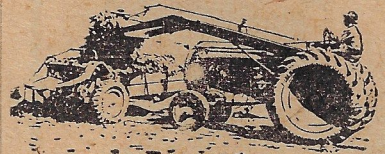
EFFECTIVE TRACTOR USE INCREASES FARM PRODUCTION



The modern tractor is the heart of mechanized farming and is the key to lowering production costs. To be an economical unit, it is essential that the tractor be used for at least 350 hours per year. Thus the selection of a tractor of the type and size best suited to your farm is most important. Additional jobs can be found for the tractor by adding other attachments.



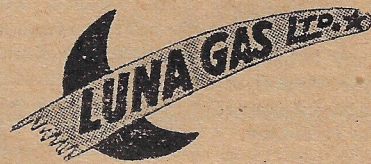
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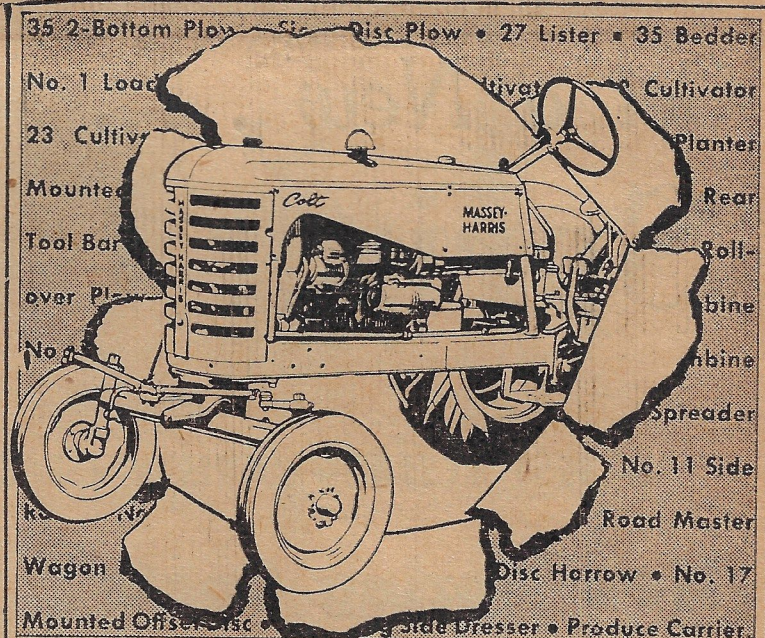
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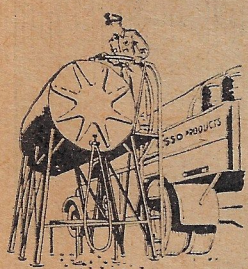
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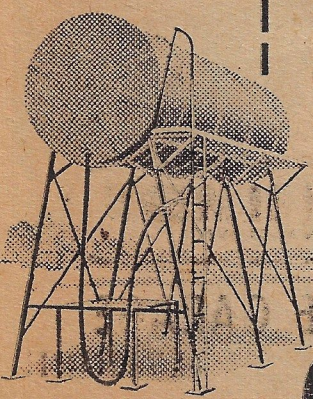
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Services Held For Well-Known District Farmer

BOYLE — Funeral services for Eric Sigurd Parson who passed away at his home on Monday, March 23 at the age of 60 years were held in Boyle on Friday at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Arthur Appelt of Edmonton officiated and interment was made in the Boyle cemetery.

The pallbearers were six sons, George, Raymond, Nels-Eric Ragnar, Allan and Carl.

Many beautiful floral tributes were received from the family; Ragnar, Ruby and girls; George, Myrtle and Lucille; Edith and Nels; Stanley, Nanny and family; Fred, Martha, Carl and Elsa; Betty, Art and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ben DeLevi; R. Lindstrom and family; The Hoglund family; L. Magnuson; The Wilt family; Mr. and Mrs. Eric Clintberg; M. Carl Pfannmulla of Mayerthorpe, Kragacie and family; J. Semenick and family; Mr. and Mrs. Holst and family; The Breckenridge family; J. S. Lund and family; Mr. and Mrs. Seim; Mr. and Mrs. I. Botten; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ball and family; Helen and Earl Wright; Huam, Francis, Clara and Halbor Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eherer; Mr. and Mrs. Dorosh; Mr. and Mrs. Tkachuk; Mr. and Mrs. Humeny and Mr. and Mrs. Shavoley; Lennox Tice; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nelson and family and Jennie; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mellott; The Mikalonis family; Mr. and Mrs. G. Godel and family; Mr. and Mrs. Alf Stromberg; Athabasca and District Board of Trade; The Board and Staff Athabasca Health Unit No. 18, Agriculture Service Board; Office Staff M.D. 103; Boyle Board of Trade; Boyle Old Timers Association; The Athabasca Echo; Teaching Staff, Warren School; Students' Union, Boyle School; Athabasca and District, Agricultural Society; Federated Co-operative Services; Council and Staff, Athabasca M.D. No. 103.

Mr. Parson was born on May 11, 1892 in Vashy, Skane, Sweden. He came to Canada in 1913 and farmed in the Boyle district until the time of his death.

Besides his loving wife he is survived by 7 sons, George, Raymond and Nels-Eric of Boyle, Arthur of Vancouver, Ragnar of Evansberg and Allan and Carl at home; four daughters, Martha (Mrs. Pfannmulla), Elsa (Mrs. Carl Pfannmulla) of Mayerthorpe, Inez and Mildred at home. There are 16 grandchildren.

Athabasca Funeral Service had charge of arrangements.

Noral News Briefs

A dance was held at Noral School on March 27, with a very large crowd attending. Bingo was played till midnight and dancing continued till 3 o'clock with music by the Colony orchestra.

Miss Lillian Hanson and Miss Gertrude Hoflin were visitors over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hoflin entertained a number of their friends on Tuesday to help them celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary. Mr. George Waselencuk, on behalf of the neighbors, presented them with a tablecloth.

Mr. Metro Waselencuk and Mr. Alex Holosh spent the week-end at Woychuks'.

School was closed on Friday for the Easter holidays. Miss Walter will spend the holidays at Atmore and Red Deer.

Former Hylo Resident Returns Home

PERRYVALE—Word has been received of the death in Edmonton of Mr. Chas. Shay, aged 80. Mr. Shay formerly lived at Perryvale, where he farmed for many years. He later gave up farming and made his home with friends here before going to Edmonton to live.



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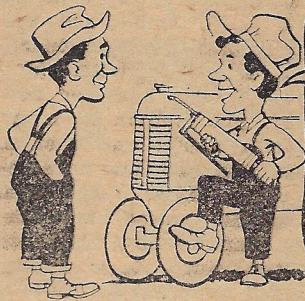
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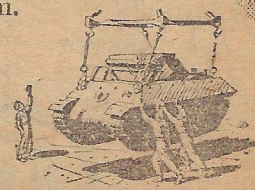
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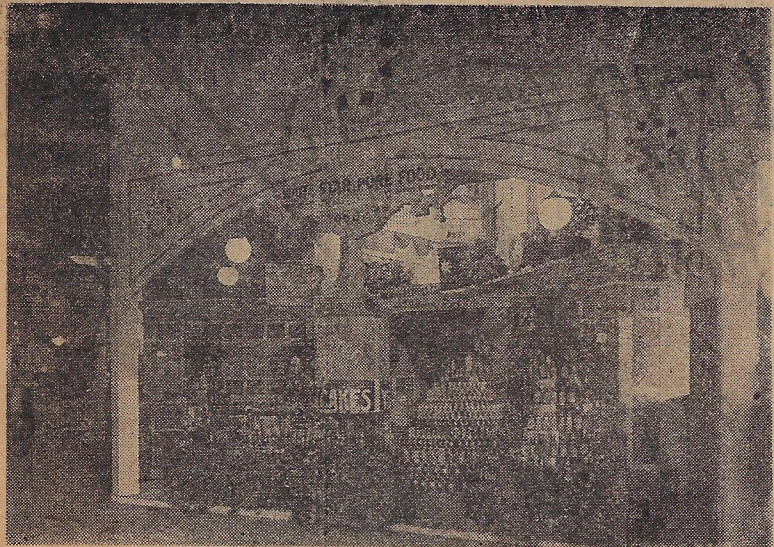
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EFFICIENT TRACTOR NEEDED FOR FARM SAFETY

EDMONTON—A tractor in poor repair or one operated carelessly can cost a farmer his life, is the warning of the Rural Division of the Alberta Safety Council as spring work begins in Alberta's agricultural industry.

Officials of the organization stress that three factors will contribute to farm safety during the busy season: tractor and farm machinery in good repair, constant precautions in operation of tractor and machinery, and the general good health of the operator.

"Machinery in poor repair is costly in time and money; it is also an extremely dangerous accident hazard," it was stated.

Farmers are advised to check the seat on their tractors before beginning spring work, to see that seat mountings are secure, strong and not worn. A seat suspension, breaking when tractor is going over rough land, can throw the operator to the ground in the path of a disc harrow, tiller or plow. A spring seat or foam rubber cushion on the tractor will contribute to the comfort and efficiency of the operator.

The tractor hitch should also be checked as a safety measure to see that it is properly mounted. Power take-off, if used, should be properly shielded.

Special attention should be given to the efficiency of the tractor's brakes, making sure they lock together, as improper brakes can swing the tractor around and turn it over or throw the operator to the ground.

Even a tractor in good repair can be a dangerous machine unless the operator is alert to safety measures, official of the Alberta Safety Council said.

High speeds should be avoided at all times. Refuelling should never be done while the motor is running, or when it is hot.

Hand clutches provided on some makes of tractors should not be operated from the ground. "Stay on your tractor and back it towards the hitch; don't attempt to operate the machine from the ground; you risk death or per-

manent injury if you do so," officials warned.

Several fatal accidents last year resulted from tractor operators allowing passengers to ride with them on their machines, it was pointed out. "A tractor is built to accommodate only the operator; a 'hitch-hiker' on the machine courts death."

Safety conditions are greatly improved if the tractor operator himself is in good health and is provided with devices for his comfort while working. Tight-fitting goggles are especially useful during spring work when dust and high winds are prevalent. Cotton plugs or swimmer's rubber ear plugs will reduce noise and prevent temporary deafness caused by the constant exhaust roar.

A complete medical check-up for the operator before he starts spring work is recommended by the Council. "In many other industries a medical check-up would be required after a six-months layoff. Make sure you are physically fit to operate a tractor this spring."

Accessibility to a first aid kit and knowledge of the seriousness of field accidents during the busy season, the Council stated.

Honest Public

WICHITA, Kan.—A month or so ago, M. E. Stone, furniture dealer, put a quart pail on a nail outside the store with \$4 in change in it, and painted a sign on the store window, urging motorists to "make your own parking-meter change." At last check, Stone says the bucket had \$3.96 in it and that it's never been more than 7 or 8 cents short.

Licensing Gone Crazy

(From the Financial Post)

A Quebec Citizen who wishes to have his kitchen or out-house painted, must turn that job over only to members of a self-appointed group, if a request now before the provincial legislature is heeded. This comes from an organization known as the Professional Association of Painting and Decorating Contractors of the Province of Quebec. At its recent annual meeting it asked for provincial legislation providing for compulsory licensing of painters and decorators. The idea probably came from Edmonton, the only place in Canada where such a regulation applies.

This nonsense of licensing, all

sorts of jobs that all sorts of people with a little training could perform easily and satisfactorily, has gone very much too far. It is taking work away from many who need work and adding greatly to the cost of maintaining property. In far too many cases the device is used simply as a means of restricting competition, of reserving plums for local favorites.

If he has to call in an expensive licensed professional every time a window sill needs a lick of paint or a tap starts leaking, pretty soon the average man won't be able to afford a home at all. As a matter of fact many of us are approaching that point right now.

Nations' Leaders Express Hope Fresh Peace Talks Could Succeed

(By British United Press)

Echoes of the Chinese Communist peace offensive spread around the world today. Developments came in rapid fire order from London, Moscow and Seoul. The first clear-cut statement of British policy was made in the House of Commons. Prime Minister Churchill said that the new Chinese peace proposals seem to offer hope for an end to the Korean war.

COMMONS APPLAUDS

The Prime Minister continued: "Thus, it seems to provide the basis on which the armistice negotiations can be usefully resumed."

Churchill added: "These developments, if not spoiled—seem to offer a new hope—for a cessation of the fighting in Korea—" The Commons cheered the Prime Minister's report.

Officials in Washington wonder whether part of the price for peace in Korea is Red China's admission to the United Nations. If events proved this to be so, officials say that the price is just too high.

Earlier plans to demand immediate full-dress debate of the Chinese proposals in the UN have been scrapped.

In New York's financial district there was another reflection of Korean developments. Prices on the New York Stock exchange slipped downward for the third session in a row. Selling hit the market after a firm opening.

Teachers Face Heavy Agenda

EDMONTON — One hundred and eighty delegates, representing 68 locals, are attending the annual general meeting of the Alberta Teachers' Association in Edmonton April 6, 7, 8, according to Eric C. Ansley, general secretary-treasurer of the ATA.

A heavy agenda including 109 resolutions faces the delegates. Meetings got underway at the Macdonald Hotel Easter Monday with registration commencing at nine o'clock, and this was followed by fraternal greetings from the Alberta School Trustees' Association, Alberta Farmers' Union, Alberta Federation of Home and School Associations, Alberta Federation of Labor, Civil Service Association, Edmonton Chamber of Commerce, Department of Education, Faculty of Education, and the School Superintendents' Association.

Resolutions occupied most of Monday and Tuesday, with the elections and committee reports likely to take up most of the final day. One special report deals with a proposal to revise the system of electing the president of the ATA.

Annual reports are to be given by retiring president Marian Gimby, Mr. Ansley, general secretary-treasurer; the board of administrators of the teachers' retirement fund; the ATA representatives on the board of teacher education and certification; curriculum committees; radio committee; faculty of education; salary schedule committee; education co-ordinating committee; library committee and others.

Car. No. 188187

J. E. Comeault, agent at Alberta Wheat Pool elevator at Picardville, thinks he has an attraction for C.P.R. car No. 188187. He loaded it with wheat on March 6 and on March 13 back came the same car to be loaded with oats. If that car comes back to Picardville again, Mr. Comeault is going to claim it as his own.

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Red Cross Sick Room Loans Crutches

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Little Wayne is one of the many thousands of Canadians who call every year for the loan of sick room supplies from the Red Cross. All requests for loans of sick room supplies, which are made absolutely free of charge, are checked with the family physician for the protection of the patient, the doctor and the Red Cross.

"In most Canadian centres hospital accommodation is difficult to obtain and more and more cases of chronic incurable diseases are being cared for in the home," stated Helen McArthur, national director of Red Cross nursing services. "Through the Red Cross it is possible to obtain on loan such things as hospital beds, back rests, bed pans, crutches, and wheel chairs. Linen, blankets, air rings and others are also provided by the local Red Cross branches."

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Returning alone from church one evening my husband was acting as usher, a lady from the congregation introduced herself to me and said "I've always wanted to meet you". "I've met your son." I said: "you mean my husband." "No," she persisted, "your son who is the usher". I didn't mind her thinking my husband was young looking, but as I was then only 31 years old I was mighty embarrassed.

M.M.R.

Keephills.

Given charge of my little boy cousin at the beach, my attention was diverted for a few minutes by the large crowd of people. Choosing the moment when my back was turned, he quickly pulled off his bathing suit and ran down the beach in his altogether. Embarrassed, I ran after him with his swim suit in my hand.

Velma Barritt.

Mirror.

I have had a most embarrassing moment in my life and here it is. Just the other day I was at a funeral in church and I wore a skirt. During the funeral service, all of a sudden I heard something slip down my feet. I looked down and here was my skirt on the floor. You can imagine how I felt!

Luckily I had been standing amongst the women and wearing a long coat, not very may saw me pick it up, but it was pretty hard for those standing around to have to choke their laughs in handkerchiefs.

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EDITORIALS

A Good Investment

The Canadian Cancer Society is again conducting its annual campaign for funds in this community. In considering the request for contributions, most people, it is pretty certain, will ask themselves just how important is it that they give to this cause.

Can they also ask with justification, "I've given year after year and still we're threatened by cancer?"

Each man's answer will be his own. Our answer is based on the word, "hope."

It must be remembered that the long hard road of research can turn at any moment. A look at the record of scientific achievement will demonstrate this better than anything else.

The death rate from rheumatic fever declined 53 per cent between 1944 and 1950, the last year for which figures are available. Deaths from pneumonia and influenza declined 47 per cent in the same period. From 1944 to 1949 appendicitis deaths were cut 53.7 per cent and the scarlet fever death rate dropped 70 per cent.

The over-all death rate in Canada was reduced 15 per cent from 1937 to 1950.

This tremendous improvement is directly due to the development of the sulfa drugs, penicillin and other antibiotics.

But these wondrous jailers of infection did not leap full blown from the minds of their creators. They were the results of many patient years of plodding investigations.

And so, too, can it be with cancer. If the public can provide funds to keep the scientists at work long enough they will find the complete answer. Already, half of those who develop cancer could be saved by early diagnosis and prompt treatment.

More than half a million dollars was allocated to research by the Canadian Cancer Society in 1952. The Society expects to increase the figure this year.

When you are asked to give, do it with great expectations—with the knowledge that cancer can be conquered and with the ever constant hope that it will be soon!

Wheat Agreement Discussion

The latest information on the International Wheat conference being held in Washington, D.C., is that wheat exporting countries have reduced their figure for a ceiling price to \$2.10 and the importing nations have increased their figure to \$1.95.

While press reports would suggest that the difference in viewpoint on the ceiling price has created a deadlock, there is some hope that an agreement will be signed. A compromise price of around \$2.05 may be arrived at.

If no wheat agreement is signed the key to the price situation will rest mainly with the United States. By the end of the crop year the government of that country will own at least 400 million bushels of wheat. If that volume is held off the market importing nations will have to bid for supplies. If it is dumped on the market prices will skid.

Note and Comment

The British wheat crop in 1952 is estimated at 82.8 million bushels. Production in 1951 was 83.5 million. The average yield per acre was 42.2 bushels.

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The livestock industry in France is suffering heavily from foot-and-mouth disease. About 15 per cent of the total cattle population have been infected.

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The United States imported 16.6 million bushels of Canadian wheat during the first six months of the present crop year. Of that total 3.2 million bushels was for milling in bond.

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On February 20 some 25 million lbs. of butter was stockpiled in Canada, an increase of 7 million lbs. over the amount in storage on the same date the previous year.

Super Highways — Super Crack-Ups

By T. W. PUE

For many years Albertans have been rightly critical of the condition of Highways in the Province. Narrow roads, muddy and rutted, however, are being replaced with 44 foot width speedways, hard surfaced, with plenty of shoulder width on each side. High speed will replace low speed, and muddy ruts will be replaced by smooth hard-top surfaces lending itself to carefree, bump-free auto travel.

But now traffic authorities remind us that though Hon. Gordon Taylor, Minister of Highways and his corps of engineers are doing a good job, we still can make junk of our jalopies, and soup-bones out of our collective necks on these super-roads.



T. W. PUE

We haven't yet approached the high standards of the Pennsylvania Turnpike which was built in 1940. But better roads and better cars mean more frequent and serious traffic casualties.

Latest statistics prove that more and more super-road users are cracking up in more and more accidents. A total of 365 drivers and passengers have been killed on the Pennsylvania Turnpike since 1940; 40 died on the New Jersey Turnpike during its first 10 months of operation. Cars in such high-speed fatalities average \$2,429 damage per vehicle. The average two-or three-lane highway wreck runs up a repair bill of less than \$500.

The reason for such new-style super-smackups is deadly simple. A car traveling 70 mph (Pennsylvania legal speed is 70; Jersey 60) can't be braked to a safe stop in less than 297 feet. If a car or truck less than that distance ahead of you gets into trouble, chances are excellent that you'll pile up on him, as No. 2 man in a multiple crackup.

On the Jersey road, recently, 11 cars which hadn't bothered to slow down in fog got tangled in a sensational chain-reaction smackeroo.

Even skilled truck drivers can't speed with impunity. On the Pennsylvania toll road, a while back, one huge trailer truck skidded and jack-knifed, and was promptly ground to pieces by four trucks roaring behind it. Score: Two dead; \$700,000 estimated damage.

Alarmed safety authorities are demanding speedway reforms—more patrolling and perhaps even a system of caution signals like those on auto racetracks, to slow the scorchers down when there's danger ahead. It's obvious that some such stern measures are needed unless our best highways are to become our worst traffic nightmares.

Meantime, unless you really crave to figure in one of those sensational, 90 mph, double-decker pile-ups, better take it easy.

A Voice Against Hanging

Every decent-minded citizen of Alberta, indeed of all Canada, will be relieved to know that the death sentence on a Drumheller miner, guilty of killing his wife, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

In prison this man can be given some useful work to do and live, not because of his deeds, but in spite of them. It is time that capital punishment was written off our law books.

The Calgary Albertan has raised the point that hanging serves no purpose whatever. Threat of hanging didn't stop a crazed young man from pumping five bullets into the body of an Edmonton businessman in broad daylight on a parking lot in the centre of the city.

It didn't stop a moral degenerate from violating and then murdering a Calgary woman. It didn't stop the Drumheller miner from killing his wife to put her out of pain and misery.

Why don't we put a stop to this savage idea that the state must take the life of every man guilty of homicide? Do two wrongs make one right?

A Tasty Dish

A lady in Alabama, U.S.A., who lost her bet that Governor Stevenson would win the recent election, had to eat the front page of a pro-Eisenhower newspaper complete with the winner's photograph. The dish was quite palatable as the lady first burned the page, mixed the ashes in a cup of coffee and swallowed it with apple pie.

The Bible Today

Ye are the salt of the earth; but if the salt have lost His savour, wherewith shall it be salted?

—St. Matthew, V; 13



Voice of the People

THE WAY TO PEACE

It has been suggested that if peace broke out that our prosperity would burst like a bubble and we would be in the midst of a depression. This is probably true, but it can hardly be believed that we are desirous of keeping our present tensions and fears so high just to enjoy "high wages," "high profits" and "high prices." To suppose that the majority of humanity; our fathers, mothers, young men and sweethearts like this continual uncertainty; the separations and the killings of Korea; the giving up of the cherished plans of young people in order to fight for Queen and country and the shocks of war, is not true.

That the American people are desperately anxious for peace is proven by the eagerness with which they accepted Eisenhower's promise to go to Korea and seized upon it as a way to settle that war. Eisenhower's stated willingness to go halfway around the world to meet Stalin, has stirred hope again and why not? We have tried the cold war and the threat of the atom bomb and failed to secure peace. We have, under Acheson's direction, tried to build up our strength by armaments until we could negotiate from the point of overwhelming power. We had the atom bomb and now likely have the hydrogen bomb but in our hearts we know that to use them would not bring peace but destruction. Russia has the same weapons and we are like "sitting ducks" with our large cities more vulnerable than is Russia to attack.

What have we gained by past policies? Has the U.S. built up much friendship for herself? Do we feel ourselves secure? Are the United States' motives trusted in Europe and Asia? Actually have we tried a give and take type of negotiation, or simply tried to dictate, shown distrust and overbearing intolerance to the others viewpoint and race superiority?

During four years in the west we have built up armaments and planes and spent millions, but very little toward building friendships and confidence. Yet millions of our young people are just waiting for inspired leadership in the battle of ideals. No conscription is necessary in such a struggle. Even Russia's fear of us would dissolve if we demonstrated we really meant to be friendly. We must come to it sometime, why not commence now?

L. W. N.

Stony Plain

"BACK TO DEMOCRACY"

I am glad to have your paper which I am now receiving municipally. It is a first step back towards democracy since the wider Unit System destroyed the roots of democracy in Alberta.

JOHN F. MILNER

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POLITICIANS IN PULPITS

The Dean of Canterbury (the Rev. Dean) has been in Ontario and has spoken in several Canadian cities. It is also rumoured that the Premier of Alberta is going to make a return tour of Ontario.

Now these gentlemen do not visit Ontario for advancement of Christianity or the betterment of social conditions but the one will try to further the interests of Communism and the other of Social Credit.

It is regrettable that men like the Dean of Canterbury, the Premier of Alberta and Ontario's Rev. James Endicott, are allowed to prostitute their positions and use the pulpits of the Christian Church for the furtherance of their fanatical and dangerous political ideas; but such is democracy.

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My husband and I have been married for six years and we have two darling children. Bob doesn't make a big salary but it is enough for us to pay on a small home which will be ours in fifteen years. We also are putting up an educational fund—paying insurance on it—and we allow ourselves a babysitter one night a week.

I have my work well-organized so that dinner is ready when he comes home in the evening and he puts the children to bed while I clean up the dishes.

He enjoys doing this and reads or tells them a story as he doesn't get to see them much at any other part of the day.

After they are in bed, we talk or listen to the radio and, before long, we hope to save enough for a TV set.

Bob is perfectly happy over this set-up and so am I. The children are healthy and I have an arrangement with a friend who keeps my children when I go to the Church circle and I keep her's when she goes to church meeting.

We go to church each Sunday and leave the children in the church nursery. I always cook enough on Saturday so that I can heat up dinner on Sunday. If the day is nice—after a nap—all of us ride over to see the grandparents who usually keep us for an early supper.

Bob thinks I am a wonderful cook and I have studied the government book so that he gets a balanced diet. He has had three raises since we have been married, so I feel that we are very lucky.

Just thought I would let you hear from a couple who haven't much money but who are enjoying life.
MARY G.

Answer:

Thank you, Mary, for your nice letter. I am sure that it will make a great many people realize that they have more to be thankful for than to complain about.

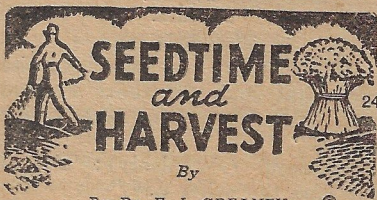
Happiness really comes from within and it is very contagious. A happy, contented wife, or husband, can often make a whole household happy while a complaining, lazy woman or an inconsiderate, stingy man can make the home a continual nightmare.

There are very few of us who are perfect and adjustments have to be made after every marriage. You, Mary, and Bob, seemed to have managed this beautifully. Everything is on a fifty-fifty basis. You take your job as a home-

maker seriously and have good meals and a nice home atmosphere. Bob does his part and enjoys doing it and you are both so congenial that you do not consider it a hardship to give up the outside pleasures for a few years until your children grow older and he is making more money.

Thank you for your inspiring letter.

LOUISA



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Smut Losses — An Extra Tax

Smut diseases continue to levy an annual tax of thousands of dollars on Western Canadian crops of wheat, oats and barley. This is one tax prairie farmers should get rid of in 1953. How? By seed treatment.

Losses Heavy. According to the records, 3 out of every 1,000 carlots of wheat shipped through Winnipeg each year during the last 10 years have been graded "smutty" on account of bunt (stinking smut). Even heavier smut losses occur in oats and barley. In the last few years, for instance, it has not been difficult to find fields of oats and barley in many districts in which, by actual count, the number of plants destroyed by smut ranged from 10 to 20 per cent. Most of these losses are caused by the smut diseases that are carried over from one season to the next on the outside of the seed — smuts which can be controlled effectively by disinfecting the seed with an approved chemical.

Seed Contaminated. The results of smut tests already completed by this Department on about 3,000 farmers' seed-grain samples from the 1952 crop show that 44% of the stocks of wheat, 86% of those of oats, and no less than 92% of the stocks of barley farmers intend to use for seeding purposes this Spring are contaminated with smut. With this condition existing why should any farmer in Western Canada take a chance on planting untreated smut-carrying seed in 1953.

Lower Production Costs. Today it is essential for grain growers to keep their production costs as low as possible. The control of smut through seed treatment is one simple method of reducing production cost and increasing profits. Yes, seed treatment is a tailor-made answer to reducing smut losses. Treat your seed grain this Spring and get rid of the 1953 "smut tax."

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A.H.

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Nephew—You needn't whisper, uncle—she's also deaf.

A Slam

Patient — I adore bridge! I could play bridge in my sleep.

Partner (grimly) — Apparently you do.

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Mayme — How's your husband this morning, Myrt?

Myrt — "The poor boy's delirious again."

Mayme—Heavens! Is it serious?

Myrt — Gracious, no. It's the silliest stuff you ever heard.

Prompt Lad

Skive — I hear that young Pozzole is bringing suit against the government for \$50,000 damages.

Pycraft — On what grounds?

Skive — Flatfoot. He was on a government job and was carrying a heavy piece of iron when the whistle blew and he dropped the iron on his feet.

A Mental "Facial"

Wife — Richard, my mind is made up.

Hub — Heavens! Is that artificial, too?

Never Trust 'Em

Prison Chaplin — Why are you here again, Tom?

Convict — Because of my belief, sir.

Chaplain — Nonsense! What do you mean?

Convict—I believed the policeman had gone by, sir.

The Salesman

Wife: "Have you ever seen the man that sold you those Florida lot's that were two feet under water?"

Husband (sheepishly): "Yes, I saw him the other day."

Wife (suspiciously): Well, what happened?"

"He sold me a boat."

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Fortune Hunter: The man who seeks a girl for her pa value.

Fishnet: A lot of little holes tie together with a string.

What?

Wife — I went to cooking school before I got married.

Chief — What did you do there, play bridge?

A Brick Would Do

"Why do they have those glass cases with axes in them in the passenger cars?"

"Oh, they are there in case someone wants to open a window."

COMMERCIAL SEED TREATMENTS SAFE IF USED PROPERLY

EDMONTON — Farmers who use commercial chemical products to treat grain preparatory to seeding can do so without danger, if reasonable precautions are observed. The reassurance comes from the Rural Division of the Alberta Safety Council.

The Council's report is based on findings of the American Medical Association's Committee on Pesticides, and is in line with opinions expressed by Agricultural engineers in the Alberta Department of Agriculture. It deals with benzene hexachloride, sold under the trade name of "Lindane", a gaseous liquid used in the treatment of seed grain to prevent wireworm, and with mercurial dusts which are now in common use as smut preventive.

Officials of the Alberta Safety

Council warned that benzene hexachloride, the insecticide, can have a toxic or even fatal effect on humans if the vapour is inhaled in high concentration.

"Fresh air—and lots of it—will prevent human poisoning from the use of this pesticide", it was stated.

If you are treating your seed grain with Lindane or similar chemicals, work out of doors in the fresh air—not in a granary or other closed building. If the work is being done in a seed cleaning plant, precautions should be taken to see that air conditioning units or direct ventilation by means of fans are provided."

Where electrical dispensers of the pesticide are used, these machines should be equipped with protective devices which will avoid too high a concentration of the chemical by controlling the amount which is liberated into the air.

Safety measures must also be observed in the use of mercurial dusts, officials of the organization said. Masks should be worn to prevent the dust compounds from being inhaled. Goggles will eliminate irritation of the eyes by these chemical dusts.

Grain which has been treated with mercurial dust or with an insecticide such as benzene hexachloride is, of course, highly poisonous and should be kept away from livestock.

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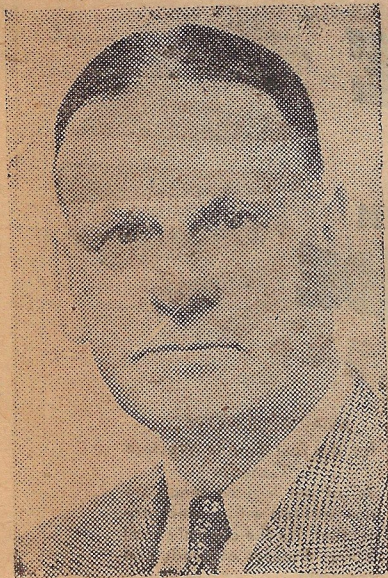
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R. D. PURDY

Wheat Pool Manager Passes

R. D. Purdy, general manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool, died suddenly at his home in Calgary on Sunday, March 29th. In the position he occupied for over 28 years he was known and respected throughout the length and breadth of the province and his passing is regretted by many thousands of people.

The late Mr. Purdy was born in Brighton, Ontario, in 1899, his ancestors being of United Empire Loyalist stock. He came with his parents to Alberta in 1906, his father having purchased a farm in the Millet district. R. D. Purdy, then a boy of 17, took a business course in Edmonton and entered the employ of the Merchants Bank of Canada at Wetaskiwin. When that bank was absorbed by the Bank of Montreal Mr. Purdy was kept on the staff and in 1922 became assistant manager of the main branch in Edmonton.

The Alberta Wheat Pool was formed in 1923, the manager being Chester T. Elliott who died two years later. R. D. Purdy was chosen as his successor early in 1925. Later when the Pool elevator system was built he became manager of the entire organization, a position he filled with great ability until his death.

Aside from the responsibilities of his position, Mr. Purdy took an active part in public affairs. He was greatly interested in the Red Cross movement and a member of the Alberta Council of that organization. He was also chairman of the Alberta branch of the Canadian Forestry Association. He took an active part in community, patriotic and philanthropic work, the extent of his contributions being little known to the general public. A few years ago he was elected to the board of directors of the Bank of Montreal, his interests therein

Audience Delighted With Annual School Production

ATHABASCA — The Athabasca High School held their annual production on Wednesday, April 1, when close to 400 people saw the minstrel show program and play. At 8 o'clock the curtain rose so a packed hall could see the stage and setting for the opening part featuring the songs and dances of the early years of this century.

Fred Martin, as master of ceremonies, provided the audience with the background and setting for each number. Long dresses, flower-covered trellis and a colonial house front, all bathed in a rose-colored light was the stage setting for the first selections.

The whole chorus sang several selections entitled "A Hot Time in Athabasca Tonight," "Over the Rainbow" — soloist Ethel Sauer, "Alice Blue Gown" — soloist Joanne Patry, "I'll See You in My Dreams" — soloist Helen Fodchuk, and a medley of songs by the group. Appreciative clapping showed that the audience was pleased with the performance of these young people in the local school.

The comedy, "Georgie-Porgie," provided a half-hour of fun and laughter for all as the players got into one predicament after another. The cast was: George Spinnet by John Stychin; Ted Spinnet by Jack Ward; Dorothy Spinnet by Doreen Stelter; Hugh Cameron by Roy Fodchuk; Mrs. Hazel Spinnet by Elfriede Schinkinger; Millie Spinnet, Hazel Olson; Mamie Burmoister by Sylvia Philipzyk; Tessie (the maid) by Evelyn Atkinson.

The unwillingness of the older family members to entertain a visiting relative allowed young Georgie to extract some amusing pledges while getting the opportunity to date a glamor girl. Much laughter was heard as one amusing incident led to another until the final curtain closed on young George with all his luck!

At the intermission, Roy Fodchuk, as president of the Students' Council, welcomed the audience to the production and thanked all those who helped to make it a success. Music by George Philipzyk's orchestra filled in the remainder of the intermission with lively tunes.

As the curtain rose for the final act, the audience saw an old plantation setting where a number of colored folk were holding a minstrel jamboree. The master of ceremonies introduced the

being mainly on behalf of western agriculture.

The late Mr. Purdy was a man of high principals. His friendliness and consideration of the interests of others gained for him widespread respect and affection.

major members of the cast who greeted the audience in peculiar ways. A number of jokes plus a harmonica number by Steve Kamelchuk got the program away. Then "Go Down Moses," as a solo by Gordon Atkinson with the chorus assisting provided a bit of deep bass singing. The tap dance number by three girls, Lorna Fowler, Cecil Ashacker and Michaelle Wright, got a long applause from the crowd. A male quartette by Ken Carlson, Elmer Balay, Gordon Atkinson and Walter Winters, entitled "Swing Low," was also well received.

The final medley of songs completed the program for the evening until the dance started.

Much credit is due to all the entertainers, the staff and the behind-the-stage workers for staging another successful school program.

Meanook News Briefs

Several from Meanook attended the High School production at Athabasca.

Little Margaret Orlando has been quite ill.

Mrs. Petuka has been at home. Her mother, Mrs. Simpson, was called to Calgary due to the illness of her father.

The regular dance will be held Friday, April 10.

Mr. R. Rollings has a new Allis-Chalmers tractor.

The men are busy getting logs to saw into lumber for the curl-

ing rink. Someone said 700 logs have been hauled to the mill.

J. E. Brown and F. McDonald attended the stock show in Edmonton.

Mrs. T. Woods and son visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Simpson.

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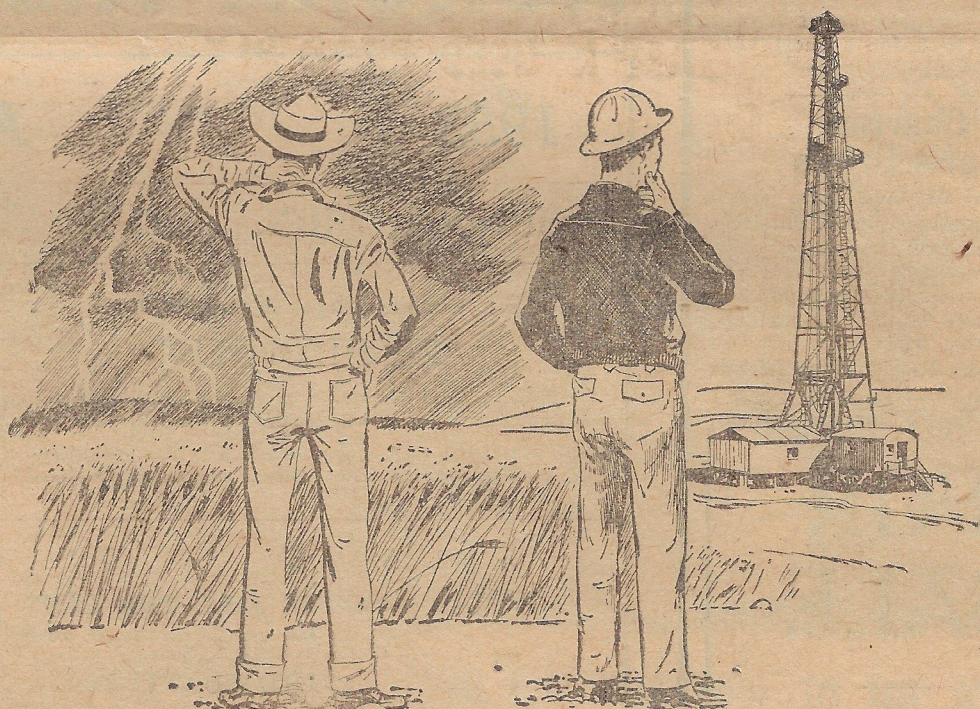
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Rochester News Briefs

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Mr. Norman Masson returned home for a visit after spending the winter working in Edmonton.

A whist drive was held at Mrs. Hahn's place. The winners were: Mrs. Hahn, Mr. M. Hanlan, Mr. Bob Miller and Mr. L. Hanlan.

Mr. Alex Crozier is seen driving a new truck.

A whist drive put on by the United Church will be held on April 10 at the Community Hall. Everybody is welcome.

Congratulations go out to Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hamulak on the birth of a son.

James Bloemen, Alstair Finlayson and Charlie Shopland attended the boxing match at Westlock. We are sorry to hear that James could not answer the third bell because of cramps. Alstair and Charlie won their bouts.

Caslan News Briefs

Mrs. S. Cislo and Mrs. G. Waselechuk were Edmonton visitors one day recently.

Mr. M. Sawka has been at Lac la Biche for medical attention and has now returned home.

Mr. Sam Johnston is away for a time on business.

Metro Cherniwchan is back from the Peace River country and is visiting relatives in the district.

Alex Holosh was here during the week-end and has returned to Edmonton.

Many farmers attended a meeting held in Caslan re rabies control.

Mr. A. Cherniwchan of Lac la Biche was here for a short visit with relatives.

Charron News Briefs

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frack Dudla, a daughter, on St. Patrick's Day, Patricia Marie.

Also, born to Mr. and Mrs. Velmore St. Jean, a son and to Mr. and Mrs. Edmond St. Jean, a son.

A birthday party was held for Miss Annette Ilnicki. Many friends

and neighbors attended. She received many useful gifts besides the sum of \$30.00.

Miss Gail Karpetz and Miss Marjorie Shapka came home with second prize from the Grassland Amateur Night.

Mrs. Jake Mahyowski had her tonsils removed at the Lac la Biche Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fischer made a business trip to Athabasca.

Mr. Nick Shapka went to Drumheller to spend Easter with his wife and family and will bring them back with him.

Mr. George Shapka has moved his sawmill out of the bush for the summer.

Town's Sec.-Treas. Leaves Position

LAC LA BICHE — E. H. Weeres, secretary-treasurer, has rendered notice and will be leaving shortly to take up new duties at Vermilion, Alta. Mr. Weeres came to Lac la Biche in December, 1949, to assist in opening a branch of the Imperial Bank of Canada.

He left his position with the bank in July, 1950, to open an insurance office and in the fall of 1950 commenced his duties as secretary-treasurer, a position left vacant after the retirement of Mr. John Wason.

24-Hour Telephone Service To Begin About May 1st

LAC LA BICHE — Something that the Lac la Biche Board of Trade has urged for years, and every resident of the town and district, has wanted will become effective in a few weeks. By the end of this month the local telephone office will be on 24-hour service in Lac la Biche.

With the post office moving to new quarters around the middle of April, time will be given to make renovations to accommodate the additional staff.

Also on May 1 a change will be made in the telephone agency and staff. Mrs. Pearl Calvert will take over from Mrs. C. H. Hamel, who has been agent for many years. New switchboard operators will include Mrs. Dorothy Lloyd, Mrs. May Williams and Mrs. Louise Ray.

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Former Perryvale Man Passes

HYLO — On Friday last Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Warren of Hylo received a surprise visit from their eldest son, Wilfred and family of Falher, Alta. The occasion was celebrated by a show at Lac la Biche attended by the Warren family and friends. Mr. Ed and Miss Ethel Smith of Hylo, on Saturday night. On Sunday a family reunion and dinner was held at Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Warren's place. Also celebrating the occasion with the Warren family were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Bulmer and family, Mr. Isadore Shett, Mr. Julius Kuhn and son, Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Warren have now left for Calgary where he is employed in the oil industry.

Spruce Valley News Briefs

On Tuesday, March 24th, Mrs. Eugene Strumelak closed the school and went to Athabasca with Mr. Peter Zuber to see the dentist. Miss Olga Strumelak accompanied them.

On Wednesday, March 25th, Mr. Fred Ryl's truck and garage caught on fire. The truck, which had its during the fire. Fred was in the house when the fire broke out. With the help of the neighbors the fire, when it was noticed, was immediately put out. The origin of

the fire is unknown. On Friday, March 27th, Fred had his truck pulled to Athabasca.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koltowski and Sylvia went to Edmonton on Friday, the 27th. They came back on Saturday.

Mrs. John Semashkewich was was also a recent visitor to the city.

On Saturday, March 28, a surprise birthday party was held for Mr. John Strumelak at his home.

Seguin Home Has Been Sold

LAC LA BICHE — The Seguin house which has for the past year been occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank McIntyre has been recently sold to Mr. and Mrs. A. Tominuk. Mr. Tominuk is the owner of the new Lakeview Motors.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre of McIntyre Plumbing, will be taking up residence in the McLaren house.

Hylo News Briefs

Mrs. Carl J. Kuhn has just returned from Victoria, B.C. where she spent three months at her sick mother's bedside, the late Mrs. Tebacci. Deepest sympathy is extended to the Kuhn family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bazzar of Edmonton were recent visitors to the Hylo district. Mr. Bazzar is employed by the Canadian National Railways as engineer.

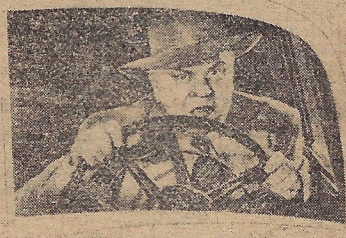
Lac la Biche Wants Federal, Provincial Gov't Buildings

LAC LA BICHE — Important changes in the local Post Office and Telephone offices will be made this year in Lac la Biche.

The Post Office Department is moving the local office into the building formerly occupied by the Marketeria and this will leave the present building for the full use of the Alberta Government Telephones.

On or before May 1 this change is to be made, but it is understood that already surveys are being made to locate a good site for a new Federal Building to house the Post Office and local RCMP Constabulary.

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FULTONVALE — The teacher and student teacher had a Culmination tea in the school on March 27th.

It was a lovely afternoon and nearly all the children's mothers attended. The children entertained

the mothers and teachers with a program of Enterprise activities and singing. Dr. McDougall, from the Faculty of Education was present, and gave an interesting talk on school affairs.

There were seven student teachers present. A sumptuous lunch was served, and everyone enjoyed the afternoon.



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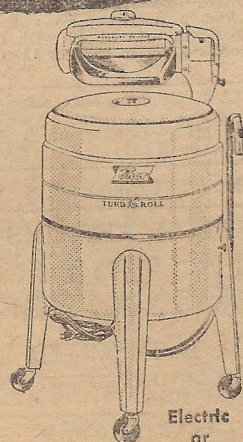
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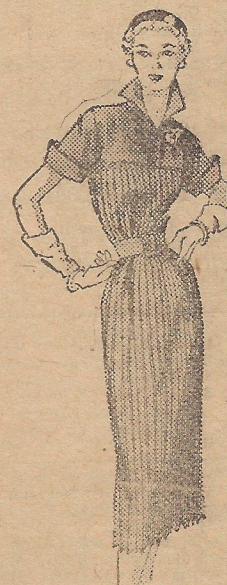
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